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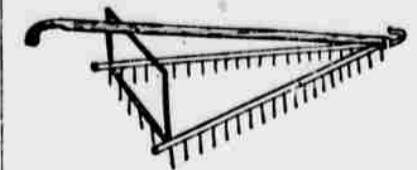
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PLANT LIFE ELEMENTS.
Nitrogen is the Most Important and
Shows Its Effect in a Variety
of Ways.

Each element used by plant life helps in the building of certain parts of the plant, and likewise, doubtless, each has some one or more special functions. What some of these are, says a late Vermont station bulletin, is not well understood, but some are known. Nitrogen is known to show its effects on plant life in three ways. It promotes stem and leaf growth, and, if in excess, delays seed and fruit formation. It deepens the green coloration of the leaves. Its abundance may increase and its deficiency may lessen the relative amount of nitrogen in the plant. This means variation in food value. If nitrogen is freely applied in fertilizers, or is present in plentiful quantities in the soil, its effect is generally shown—unless its effect be negated by phosphoric acid—by a vigorous, dark-green leaf growth and by a somewhat retarded flower and seed formation. If available nitrogen is relatively lacking, either in the soil or in the added fertilizer, a somewhat more scanty foliage than occurs under better conditions—one of a rather lighter green—is grown. The seed, moreover, is apt to mature rather earlier than usual. The farmer may, by careful observation, judge somewhat as to the crop needs in this manner. It should be remembered in this connection that nitrogen is essential to plant growth, that available nitrogen is in small quantity and easily exhausted from soils, and that consequently it is and always has been the most costly form of plant food.

Successful War on Ants.
Large numbers of ants can be destroyed by a liberal use of boiling water, kerosene emulsion or strong soap sud poured over the nests at night when the insects are all at home, but the more effective is a substance known as carbobisulphide, which may be used in the following manner: Make some holes some inches apart and several inches deep with a broomstick or bar in the nests, and pour in each about a teaspoonful of carbobisulphide, and cover the nests with a wet blanket, and after a few minutes explode the fumes collected underneath with a match or other light on the end of a short stick. This treatment, if repeated once or two times, should destroy all the occupants of a nest.—Country Gentleman.

Paraffin Dip for Cheese.
The paraffin method of putting up cheese is gaining ground, some of the meetings of cheese makers having declared strongly in its favor. It costs a little more than the common salting and blinding process, but is considered far more satisfactory and effective. The paraffin is applied when the cheese is being cured and made ready for shipment. Some dairy instructors advise that the cheese should be left on the shelves in the factory for several weeks in a moderate temperature to grow firm before it is packed away, but the advocates of the paraffining method think that as soon as the product has been shaped and has become sufficiently dry it should be dipped in the hot paraffin and then placed immediately in cold

Since the largest amount of contamination comes from the udder during milking, it is important that all udder

Effect of Tea.
Tea derives its beneficial qualities not from its supply of nutrition, for it supplies none, but from its affording theine, the effect of which in the system is to diminish the waste, thus making less food necessary at the time tea is taken. Whether such effect is needed depends largely upon the previous habits of the drinker. Its stimulus is peculiarly grateful to the aged, who have been accustomed to drink it.—Medical Notes of the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Accounted For.
Stable Boss—The mule has kicked a hole in the stern of the ark under the water line. What shall we do?"
Noah—Plug up the hole and then hang that mule up by the ears for two hours in the retribution room.
 And still people wonder why mules have long ears.—Ohio State Journal

Discriminating.
 "There are only two types of feminine beauty that I really admire."
 "Indeed!" exclaimed Miss Cayenne.
 "Yes, only two."
 "And which are they?"
 "Blondes and brunettes."—Washington Star.

Not for Him.

They were engaged.

"Life," she said, as she arose from the piano stool, "will be one long, sweet song after we are married."

"That settles it, then," firmly responded her lover, as he took his hat and departure.—*Stray Stories.*

She Learns to Believe It.
A girl never believes a man when he tells her he isn't worthy of her love, but before she has been his wife for a year she discovers that he has told her the truth.—Chicago Daily News.

Russia's Golden Scepter.
The Russian state scepter is made of solid gold, three feet long, and contains among its ornaments 268 diamonds, 360 rubies and 15 emeralds.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

Couldn't Break It.
 Subbubs—I understand your servant
 has left your home.
 Farfromtown—Yes, she left our
 home. Thank heaven, she couldn't de-
 stroy that.—N. Y. World.

Found a Friend.

Valley City, N. Dak., July 27th.—Mrs. Matilda M. Boucher, of this place, tells how she found a friend in the following words:

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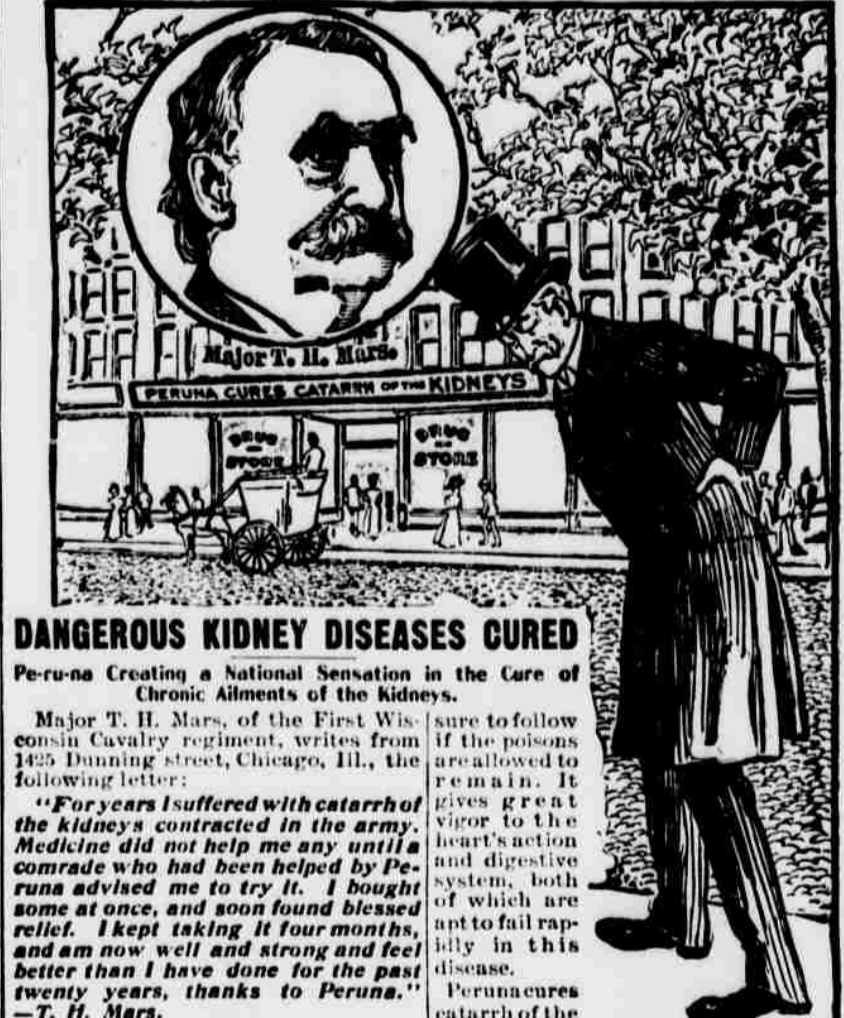
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A good housewife is like the ocean—very tidy.—Chicago Daily News.

THE MARKETS.

New York, July 28.		
FATTLE-Native Steers	4 40	4 55
COTTON-Middling	94	133
FLOUR-Winter Wheat	3 75	4 35
CORN-No. 2 Red	81	80
CORN-No. 2	80	80
OATS-No. 2	60	60
PORK-Mess (new)	16 50	17 25
ST. LOUIS.		
COTTON-Middling	90	121
BEEFEE-Steers	4 00	4 75
Cows and Heifers	2 25	5 75
CALVES-(per 100 lbs.)	4 50	5 00
FLOUR-Fair to Choice	5 25	6 90
CORN-Fair to Choice	3 30	3 85
FLOUR-Patents	3 25	4 00
Other Grades	3 50	3 75
WHEAT-No. 2 Red	78 75	79
CORN-No. 2 Mixed	49 50	50
CORN-No. 2	50	50
RYE-No. 2	50	50
WOOL-Tub Washed	20	20
Other Grades	12	12
HAY-Clear Timothy	11	15
BUTTER-Fair to Choice	15	16
BACON-Clear Rib	8	9
EGGS-Fresh	11 75	13
LARD-Choice Steam	9	9
PORK-Standard(MW)	9	11 20
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE-Native Steers	4 50	5 25
HOGS-Fair to Choice	5 15	5 75
SHEEP-Fair to Choice	3 50	4 00
FLOUR-Winter Patents	3 75	3 90
Spring Patents	4	4
WHEAT-No. 3 Spring	75	80
CORN-No. 2 Red	75 75	78
CORN-No. 2	51	51
CORN-No. 2	51	51
PORK-Mess	13 35	13
KANSAS CITY.		
CATTLE-Native Steers	4 50	5 25
HOGS-Fair to Choice	5 00	5 75
WHEAT-No. 1 Red	71 75	73
CORN-No. 2 Mixed	4	4
OATS-No. 2 White	60	60
NEW ORLEANS.		
FLOUR-High Grades	3 75	4 35
CORN-No. 2	50	54
CORN-No. 2	50	54
HAY-Choice	23 00	24 00
PORK-Standard Mess	18	18 00
CORN-Short Rib Sides	9	9
COTTON-Middling	9	13
MEMPHIS.		
WHEAT-No. 2 Red	78 75	80
CORN-No. 2	50	51
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COTTON-Middling	9	13

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